## ESTABLISHED AUGUST 24, 1852.

# THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

Shrewd Democratic Scheme-i the Second District

IN THE INTEREST OF WILSON

Republicans Should be on their Guard-Hubbard at Clarksburg. A Great Meeting - Goff in Mercer County.

St. George, W. Va., Oct. 26 - Circumstances are leading to the suspicion, and the suspicion is gaining in strength, that there is a conspiracy among the Demoof votes suginst Harman and in favor of

Evidence comes in from various one If the Democrats are not laying plans to grees, then much that is transpiring is not ecoily explained. There is undernot easily explained. There is under-hand work of some sort going on.

It is a fact that the Democratic party is sensible that their candidate for Con-gress, Hen. W. L. Wilson, is in more imminent danger of defeat now than ever before. The ordinary means of carrying on a campaign are ineflectual in their present emergency, and they see that their arguments and their speeches will not suffice, and that in their desper-

The district is close, and a trade of this kind, if successful at all, even in one or two countries, would turn the scale. It is said that the Democrate except. He spoke about two hours, closing the factions-to agree to lend help to

to give.

The plot seems to be deeply laid, and there are many indications that extensive preparations have been made to put it into effect. But the secrets have leaked out. Suspicion is aroused, and the scheming is not apt to work. Republicans the unit be warned, and should be on their guard. The only safe plan is for no Republican to trade for anything. There are combinations and time with C. W. Smith, a local politician thing. There are combinations and trades which might seem simple and harmless enough from a voter's standa part of a plan to injure the whole Re-publican ticket. Don't trade at all is the safest.

## HUBBARD AT CLARKSBURG. Splendid Speech to a Big Crowd-So

CLARKSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 26,-The heavy rain last night did not prevent the court room being crowded by both Republicans and Democrats auxious to see and bear the Hon. W. P. Hubbard at his first appearance here during the the audience the Despard brass band furnished some enlivening music and kept the crowd in a good humor.

At 7 o'clock Sheriff M. G. Holmes

was some moments before he could be heard. Finally he said his friend Pendkton had spoken to the Clarksburg people last week and had said he (Hubbard) was no orater, nothing but a plain, dry matter of fact lawyer. He seked if Harrison county did not want a lawyer at Washington to look out for its interest, and wouldn't it prefer a plain one to a faney one, a dry one rather than moist one, a matter of fact look out for its interest, and wouldn't it prefer a plain one to a faney one, a dry one rather than one who had nothing to do with facts? Referring to Pendleton's assertion that he expected to meet him (Hubbard) here on Monday last Pendleton knew better. He did act expect anything of the kind. He (Lin) 'ard') hatcd to go into personni explanations, but Pendleton read predeton early in the campaign for joint discussions. Pendleton had refused, His (Hubbard's) dates were keld back from him with a hope that deally some arrangement, which was simply unanswerable, when the was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one will be well as which was simply unanswerable, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one wild he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his speech, set the crowd one in which he replied to an interrupting to who, during his speech, set the crowd one will he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his aspech, set the crowd one will he was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his aspech, set the crowd on which he replied to an interrupting to who, during his aspech, set the crowd of the was followed by Edward S. Ediott, who, during his aspech, hope that deally some arrangement address was meant for workingmen an could be nade. When at Salt Lick he heard that his dates were published in the INTELLIGIATER, he enneavored to the New York World, (Dem.) Oct. 25. Constain a copy from one Democrat, only to find that Pendleton had forestalled him and had ent them out of the raner. Upon applying to another man challenge to the Democratic Congressional Committee for Clarksburg, Wheeling and New Martinsville after he had found no was engaged elsewhere, except on the New Martinsville date. He met Pendleton twice in Braxton and each time publicly challenged him to meet him once in each county, Pendleton invariably declining and pleading other engagements. At no time had Pendleton layer to the new York World, (Dem.) Oct. 25. Constant Congression and Constant Congression and Stagins in Tarkey.

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Constant lights in ton invariably declining and pleading ton invariably declining and pleading other engagements. At no time had Pendlelon or his committee been willing to have joint discussions at any time or place except. The arrest was effected in the night time at the accused's residence, and in spite of his protes; that he was an American protection of a passible of his protes; the protection of a passible of his protection of a passible of

dumb speaker of the House and a Secretary of State who had himself enjoined, and finally, satan appeared also, in the form of E. Willis Wilson. General Goff is not in the seat to which he was chosen. Two Congressmen were kept out of their seats for a long time and a third is at the accused had engraved a seal for their seats for a long time and a third is at the secret Armenian committee. Proof their seats for a long time and a third is a secret Armenian committee. Proof is looking at West Virginia! Why is not General Goff in his proper seat. It's because Democrats have not had time tell the trath. During the contest a Democratic member told me in Charleston General Goff was legally elected, and if no other Democrat voted for him aintains his demands for satisfaction taking his seat, he would. Unfortunate-

# scheme by which he was robbed of it. Goff was defeated simply by resolution, all law was disregarded and over-ridden. Mr. Hubbard then went into an exhaustive explanation of the "twe" infamy, after which he said: "Harr in his testimony made an silidavit which he was obliged to eay, when under cross-examination, was false, and when asked how it was he made a false silidavit, he said he did not have time to tell the truth, as the silidavit was drawn in a hurry," What harm would it be to have a United States court who would have power to find out the truth and have the lime to tell it? What harm is there for three judges like Bond and Jackson and Fuller to have the appointment of supervisors to report in elections in litigation. Did Pendleton ever tell you suything about the United States Marshala at the polls during the Democratic administration? Of the content of the polls of the density and the polls during the Democratic administration?

Seventeen Days Without Food Water or Shelter.

HORRIBLE CONDITION

ing in a Fodder Shock Suffering from an Injury."

CLARKSCURG, W. VA., Oct. 26,-Mrs. about the United States Murshals at the polls during the Democratic administration? One of these deputies arrested a woman who jumped from the cars here on October 2th and ran to the hills, Twice he was discharged as soon as taken before the judge. Then a third time he was given a thorough examination, and it was proven beyond a shadow of a doubt that he was a legal voter. Every deputy at that time was a Democrat. The new theory divides them quality. The deputics were all in Pendieton's interest, and his inconsistency flower and discovered the woman completency in the code bill in face of past events was as much so as that of the man who killed his wife with the motte: "God bless our home." without food or water, except that she sucked the rain from her clothing, for

> nell, accompanied by a large crowd, was sight of the woman was sickening. An ambulance was sent for and the woman that attempts were made to murder her and begs that her rescuers will no whereabouts. She says no one imagines her sufferings for the past few years, particularly just before she left home. She inquired respecting her children and second pleased to learn of their experience.

the two parties and their principles and be was frequently applauded to the echo. He spoke about two hours, closing with a strong tariff argument, and after

his speech there was never a sicker looking crowd than some of the leading

GOFF IN MERCER COUNTY.

PRESTON REPUBLICANS

manufacturers.-Wheeling Special to

ican and his protest production of a pass-port, he was carried to the Seraskierat

test to the foreign minister against the violation of the right of domicile of an

First sale of Highland City lots Tues-day, October 28th.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence

He Downs a Democratic Speaker—Demo-crats Treat little Discourtedualy. Special Disputch to the Intelligencer. PRINCETON, W. VA., Oct. 26.—General the sand and filled up 1,000 feet with half an hour before the time for him to ling about 300 barrels. The Acre and a

time with C. W. Smith, a local politician and attorney of this place. Contrary to their expectation the challenge was accepted and Smith so badly skinned that he will have to be poulticed. While he will have to be poulticed. While he will have complete the possible possible to the political special beautiful of John Flynn, a prominent Republican of Wilsonburg, was acceptable. he will have to be poulticed. While smith was speaking parties passed up the sisle making signals to parties in the audience and when smith concluded, by far the larger part of the Democrats present rushed from the house in a noisy manner, creating all the confusion noish had trying to prevent Golf's constant of the Democrats of the manufacture of the property of the temperary absence of her mother. Great sympathy is expressed for the beneath and trying to prevent Golf's constant of the property of the pr

Changes His Cost to Suit Circu and as the Governor (Hill) is a practice manner. The result at the polls will show that no party can succeed in Mer-cer county by denying its opponents a right of free speak. day, in an agricultural region, he spoke address was meant for workingmen and nanufacturers,-Wheeling Special to the New York World, (Dem.) Oct. 25.

creating a terrible sea. The steamer John N. Nicoll, with the barge Wahnap-itae in tow bound from Washbarne to campaigner, his speeches, like the dyer's Fairport with lumber, tried to make the hand, become somewhat subdued to protected harbor at 8 o'clock this eventhe color of the locality he is in. Yesterday, in an agricultural region, he spoke water. Captain Nicoli, his wife and crew of seven clamored to the breakcrew of sever chambred to the break-water and clung to cleats. Two of the party were drowned.

The Wahnsptae is worth \$20,000 and had 1,800,000 feet of lumber on board, consigned to Gardner, of Fairport. address was meant for workingmen and

# CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

A furniture van was struck by a train at a Brooklyn crossing yesterday. Two men were killed. Buffalo Bill's Wild West show closed

its twenty months' tour of Europe at Strassburg yesterday. Gen. Von Moltke's 90th birthday was

brick am lost.

Josef Seblitzie, a young Pole of Pitts-burgh, has incurred the enmity of his fellow countrymen and an organized plot to murder him has been discovered.

Covered that lime slacked in buttermins makes a good paint for houses. He says the mixture will withstand rain, and night the house where his father once that it only costs about S1 to furnish lived was illuminated, and a procession of 800 torch bearers paraded the street.

Wheeling is a manufacturing town, and

## A DISASTROUS FIRE

Mobile Experiences a Half Million Dellar Blaze. Mobile, Ala., Oct. 26.—Mobile suffered severely by fire to day. The buildings consumed being a shingle mill, warehouses, with 5,030 bales of cotton nearer north pretty much of all the town would have gone. The loss is \$545,000, with about \$325,000 insurance.

More than twenty squares were burned, bounded by Beauregard, Magnolia and Sloan streets and the river. The loss is now estimated at \$700,000, with about \$400,000 insurance.

The tracks of all railroads centering here have been obstructed by the debris in the burned district and trains are delayed. A TOWN PLOODED

By the Bursting of a Stand Pipe—Great Damage Done. TEMPLE, TEXAS, Oct. 26.—Two hundbroke loose from their conflues at about

stact, hundreds of pieces of scaffolding, the Academy of Music, in which an houses, barns, fences and all the debrie of the surrounding neighborhood went floating and crashing in all directions. floating and crashing in all directions.

The people of the town were awakened, and stood in frightened groups about the town watching the destruction of their homes and property. The house of O. T. Rigdon, was crushed as an egg shell, and afterward took fire from an overturned lamp and was lurned. Rigdon was seriously burned, and his recovery is doubtful.

The damage done is heavy outside of the stand pipe itself. All the houses around were flooded with water and several seriously damaged. The accident is unaccountable. No flaws are apparent in any of the broken and torn pieces and the workmanship shows it to be first class.

a few miles from here, by which En-gineer Casey and Brakeman Laird were killed and Conductor Crawford and Fireman Fitzpatrick badly injured.

No. 50, with an extra pusher, broke in two on the up grade. The accident was not known to the engineer of the pusher, who shoved the rear section over the summit and sent it down the other side

### THE M'CLEL .. NOTOWN GANG lake Another Attempt on the Life of Mr.

Untontown, Oct. 26 .- McClellandtown is again the center of excitement. An outrage similar to that perpetrated by

chases will be made by the department, as the Government deems it unnecessary in the circumstances to continue its bids.

Storm on Lake Erie.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 20.—A heavy northeaster has raged on Lake Erie all day, creating a terrible sea. The steamer John N. Micoll, with the barge Wahnapitae in tow bound from Washbarno to Fairport with lumber, tried to make the protected harbor at 8 o'clock this evening, and the latter went on the breakwater. Captain Nicoll, his wife and crew of sever clamored to the breakwater. Captain Nicoll, his wife and crew of sever clamored to the breakwater and clung to cleats. Two of the party were drowned.

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Secretary Blaine arrived in Chicago assailants as John Dean and Reuben

James G. Blaino's Great Speech in McKinley's District.

WHEELING, W. VA., MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1890.

## THE DEMOCRATIC ARGUMENTS

Explained --- Not Inconsistent with the Republican Policy. A Great Meeting.

CANTON, O., Oct. 25.—Secretary of State Blaine arrived here from Pittaburgh at noon yesterday. He was me at Alliance by a reception committee crowd of 3,000 people greeted Mr. Blaine with loud cheering as he alighted from cheering all the way to the home of Major McKinley, whose guest he was during his stay here. Mr. Blaine was accompanied by Mrs. Blaine and her daughter, Miss Harriet Blaine, and Hon William Walter Phelps, Minister to Ger-

Upon their arrival at the residence of Upon their arrival at the residence of Major McKinley an informal reception was held. Early trains in the forenoon had brought large delegations of Republicans from Youngstown, Alliance, Mesalion, Wooster, Wellsville and other towns in this and other adjoining districts.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND FELLOW CITIZENS or Onio:-The contest that is now waging for memerany of the next Congress is not properly a contest between the Republican and Democratic parties. It is a contest between Protectionists and Free Traders. [Applause.] There are a few Free Traders among the Republicans and there are many Proceedings among the Democrats. [Applause.] It is a contest that goes to the root of the matter as to putions! accounts.

prosperity.

As I was coming out to this place

1846 that, if you will bear with me, kty fedors Sheriff M. G. Holmes called the meeting to order and at that time there was scarcely a vacant scat in the room.

[Mr. Holms made a speech preliminary to the introduction of the orator of the evening, and during his speech as a silk month of the introduction of the orator of the evening, and during his speech as silk month of the introduction of the orator of the evening, and during his speech as silk month of the introduction of the orator of the evening, and during his speech as the first meeting was at valley Point at 2 p. first speech or meeting for an hore and altered was a feer of the Universal to the roing of Grown control of the Navy Department and altered was a feer of the Universal to the region of Grown in the was followed by State Seam at part of the speech of the Universal to the region of Grown at the speech of the Universal to the case of the Navy Department and they are recorded to the Universal to the time of the ending of the Mexican was to the region of Grown in the control of the Universal to the speech of the Universal to the time of the ending of the Mexican was to the region of Grown in the control of the Universal to the speech to the Chrishung population of the Chrishung population and the control of the c

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A STOCK BROKER'S DOWNFALL.

BROCKTON, MASS., Oct. 26.-Charles . Robinson, clerk of the local Municipal Court and owner and manager of stock exchange, is a forger, and his last seen of him was on Friday after-

last seen of him was on Friday afternoon. That he is a forger is a confession
from his own lips made in the presence
of a lawyer and his partners.

There was a tremendous sensation
when the fact became known in the
business portion of the city and there is
much uneasiness as to the result of his
criminal operations upon certain business houses. His acts will result in the
ruin of more than one man, and others
will be heavy losers.

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Robinson opened a stock exchange in the Home Bank building in November, 1884, and managed the same for Seymour, Baker & Oo, New York brokers, until the latter ceased to exist two years ago. From that time up to last January he has run the exchange on his own responsibility and appeared to be making a success of the venture.

Last January he took in as special partner Sewall P. Howard, a retired busiwas doing a business of about \$50,000 a year and Mr. Goldthwaite, thinking the investment a paying one, put in \$5,000 His losses will amount to more than

His losses will amount to more than twice that amount.

The extent of Robinson's operations became known last Wednesday, when one of his partners produced a pile of notes with forged names, and handed them to him one by one, asking in each

ase:
"Did you sign that?"

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asked to explain himself he looked ter-ribly depressed and nervous.

"This is worse than ter innerals," was his lirst remark, and his partners looked as though they agreed with him. One of them took him to task for his crime, and the forger replied:

"I am very exert." and the forger replied:
"I am very sorry, but I could not help

## A CANDID EXPRESSION

According to the Judgment of

Rev. Dr. C. W. Cushing.

A SCATHING ARRAIGNMENT

Of Some of Wheeling's Municipal Authorities. An Independent Paper Wanted. Renson why Municipal government is Bad.

There was a fairly good sized audience at the Fourth Street M. E. Church last evening to hear Dr. C. W. Cushing deliver the sermon on "Some things needed in Wheeling," which was postponed a few weeks ago on account of very inclement weather preventing his having an audience worthy of the sermon.

"Gilmpses of Egypt, in the Courcin Is the Immaculate Cenception last evening to a large audience.

In his opening remarks, the Bishop culorized in the P. and O. steamers, which ply be silvered abys. It is at Alexandria that the silvered ages the transition from European to oriental life. There a new world begins to open up before his eyes. There he comes in contact with strange looking men in strange costumes and speaking a strange language. He soof feels that he is in the land of the Turk. The Bishop was fortunate in securing as a guide a Franciscan Father who had spont some years in this country, and was familiar with Egypt and Syria life pointed out the sites of ancient Egyptian greatness as well as of the early christian sanctuaries. Founded by St. Mark, the Evangeliet, the See or Alexandria has produced some illustrious doctors and confessors of the faithgains will probably reach \$100,000. The evening to hear Dr. C. W. Cushing non.

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Dr. Cushing took his text from the sixth verse of the fifteenth chapter of Proverbs: "In the house of the right-cours is much treasure; but in the revenues of the wicked is trouble."

He said that in the great cities of the country the evil influences get their greatest opportunity, and Wheeling, being the metropolis of the State, it is natural that the greatest force of this is natural that the greatest force of this is natural that the greatest force of this is natural that the greatest one of the worst in the country, but in others there are many smaller cities that excell it for evil. The liquor traffic is the most fruitful source for the greater part of the trouble and it must be so in all settles where its sale is encouraged by the granting of licensees.

He said that the city of Wheeling is now ruled by beer and Romanism. Not that the Catholic church has made any direct effort to gaia control of the rcins of government in Wheeling, but because the party now directly in power is composed of men who tage railed by beer and Romanism. This between the said.

immediate surroundings. The Bishop took his audience through its chief street—the Mousa—and its narrow, crowded side streets, pointing out the open bazars, the primitive shops for the making of gold, silver, copper and wooden wares, etc. Ascending to the citadet, he described the gorgeous Mosque of Mahomet All with its marble-paved court and fountain, its rich Turkish carpets, its columns of alabaster and other precious stones, and its 3,000 suspended lamps. Looking down from its court, he drew a picture of the city as tiles clustered below, and of the vast plains beyond. He told of his amusing visits to the dancing and howling dervishes, whose extravant performances, if reproduced among us, would be pronounceal incredible.

The Bishop spoke of the many oriental rites represented in Cairo. In one day he visited five churches, all in communion with Rome, but each of a different rits—namely, Coptic, Maronite, Armenian, Syrma and Greek—but amongst all oriental Christians the greet public ct of worship is the enemaristic sacefficient. An inefficient government imperila the lives of the preople, because the laws which are for the preservation of the public peace are not enforced. An inefficient government imperils the health of the population, because the things which are obnoxious to the health of the community are not removed and the attention of those who should look after such matters is not turned in that direction. An inefficient government imperils the property of

On one side of Cairo is the toweling bulisk, which stands like a solitary scatinal, guarding the site of the once areat city of Heliapolis. There it stands, where over 4,000 years ago it stood, looking down on Joseph and Moses and the captive children of Israel; and on the other side, at the dog of the desert, that the three great presents which I

the people wantit, or rather because they do not want a batter one. The government is ordinarily what the people make it. If the people are alive, elert and earnest, I mean the good people, they can have an efficient government. The government of this city is doing just about what it was elected to do. A party elects a man to rate under the rules laid down by the party rather than by the

The men who coatrol the great partices do not want a pure government: I do not mean a majority of the people in them, but the men who control them and all the adjacent vacant spaces were sacrificed, for the anthorities showed no mercy to the Maffarsh and all the adjacent vacant spaces were sacrificed, for the anthorities showed no mercy to the Maffarsh and all the adjacent vacant spaces were sacrificed, for the anthorities showed no mercy to the Maffarsh and all the adjacent vacant spaces were sacrificed, for the anthorities showed no mercy to the Maffarsh and the adjacent vacant spaces were sacrificed, for the anthorities showed no mercy to the Maffarsh them, but the men who control them subpose the police were to do their duty of clock, the audience varying in composition as the people can and worth them came to this country, most of them society, finding Italy too hot to hold a mayor elected on a party licket do his duty with them? It would break the power of the party and ruin all hopes of continued power. The police are doing just about what they are hired to do.

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Rev. Elliott Thompson, a missionary, preached yesterday morning. Balaam's inspired wish, "Lat me die the death of the righteous and let my last end he like his," was the subject treated by Rev. F. N. Lynch, at the morning service at the Chapline Street Methodist church, and at night he preached on the Conversion of the Ethiopean Eanuch. In the absence of Rev. E. H. D rab 25-

And in gonnection with the tariff of 18:6, I want to say that you never heard of the people. [Laughter.] The only threatimes that the people of the United was covered with wreaths to-day. To-night the house where his father once lived was illuminated, and a procession of 800 torch bearers paraded the street.

A case of what is claimed to be genuine the propose heard the New York World, (Dem.) Oct. 25.

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# GLIMPSES OF EGYPT.

APPEALED TO BLAINF, Interesting Lecture by a Learned Man on a Picturesque topic. Bishop Kain delivered his lecture, The Italian Consul at N-w Or-"Glimpses of Egypt," in the Church of

TALIANS ARE ILL-TREATED.

leans Complains that

ears of a Riot-Something About the History of the Bloody Mafia. Their Thirtieth Murder in

the City of New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 26 .- Governor eccived a dispatch from Secretary Slaine apropos of the threats against the Italians here growing out of the at this city, Signor Conti, after complaining to the municipal authorities. the Governor and others, laid the matter before the Italian Minister at Washington,-charging that the Italians were rant by law, and that they had been sub-

jected to other indignities. The Italian Minister saw Secretary The Italian Allinster saw Secretary Blaine, who telegraphed to Governor Nichols. The latter refused to give the telegram to the press, but it is understood that it simply called attention to the complaints and the possibility of protecting the Italians against violence.

SICILIANS IN MIDSTREAM, The Elysia arrived here with 1,063 mmigrants on board. She will anchor n midstream, but the immigrants will mot be allowed to disembark before Monday. Every effort has been made to prevent them landing at all, but the Federal authorities do not see how this can be prevented.

The Committee of Safety itself is all tangled up. The committee of safety itself all.

The Committee of Safety itself is all cangled up. The committee was appointed by the Mayor and the Hennessey case turned over to it. It saked the papers to publish the case, but all would not agree to this. It then ordered Detective O'Malley to have nothing to do with the Italians, but he refused to obey its orders, and as a final resource it called a mass meeting for next Monday, with the idea, it is thought, of appealing to the people and resking for extraordinary powers that is the right to

WILL RESULT IN A RIOT.

n very emphatic terms and say that if it

should now be held it would inevitably result in a rictous demonstration against the Italians. It is understood that the Mayor has expressed himself as opposed to the meeting, and it is almost certain that the call will be withdrawn. If it is not withdrawn and the meeting is held trouble is certain.

The authorities of this city are just learning the true character and history of the dread Mafia Its existence was no secret previous to the assawination of Onief Hennessey, but no systematic effort was ever before made to go to the bottom of the facts. The story is here told in print and for the flat dime.

The Mafia was originally an Italian political organization, which taught the dectrine of assassination se a means for getting rid of objectionable parsons. To prevent treachery, it became necessary to bind its members together with the strongest oaths, and those who disclosed

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hosen to kill them, and that they would be tracked to their death, wherever hey went, and would find no place

practically nothing about it. The late Chief Hennessey hit upon the very sensible idea of writing to tile Italian Government, and asking from its crimical department something about the men and methods of the Melia in Italy. He and methods of the Mafia in tally. He found, in this way, that a number of the found, in this way, that a number of the found, in this way, that a number of the fatians living in New Orleans had been members of the Mafia in Sicily and Naples and were mable to return home because of their crimes there. The fact that he was making these inquiries that he was making these inquiries that he was making these inquiries are rather the Stopagherra, found it necessary to order the assassination of Hannessey in order to prevent his going forther and endangering the live of its members. His was the thirrieth murder known to have been committed by the society here.

The carly intermation about the Stopagherra, comes from an Italian, who wis asked to join the society and agreed to do so until he found that one of its chief purposes was murder. H draw back at the last moment, but he got some wight idea of the association, and her given his facts to the autnoriti-

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Rev. Elliott Thompson, a missionary, preached vesteriay uponing.

In the an one of Rev. E. H. D rub as-er, who is attending the Lutheran Synod at Biairsuille, Pa., President R. H., Biaiedell, of the Female College, occu-pied the pulpit at the English Lutheran church in the ... morning and the Young Men's Christian Association conducted the evening service.

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The surprise of Rip Vas Winkle when awaking from his long slumber could not have been greater than the consumptive's, upon finding himself entirely relieved by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup 25 cents.

A PRETTY picture.—A sunny-haired child carring the Newfoundland's cut foot with Salvation Oil.

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